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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE, AND LISTING OF ALL CLAIMS WITH PROPER IDENTIFIERS

Claims 1-14 (Cancelled)

15. (New) An adhesive in form of preferably a watery dispersion, comprising:

- a dispersoid of a polymer of an ethylenic unsaturated monomer,

- a first dispersing agent from a polyvinyl alcohol modified by

ethylene units with an ethylene unit content below 20 Mol%,

- a further dispersing agent, which is a vinyl alcohol polymer, and

wherein the dispersion has a pH from 5.5 to 7.5.

16. (New) The adhesive of claim 15, wherein the dispersoid is polyvinyl

acetate.

17. (New) The adhesive of claim 16, wherein the polyvinyl acetate has a

degree of polymerization from 100 to 2500.

18. (New) The adhesive composition of claim 16, wherein the polyvinyl

acetate is present in an amount from 40 to 60% by weight, relative to the

dispersion.

19. (New) The adhesive composition of claim 15, wherein the modified

polyvinyl alcohol is an ethylene vinyl alcohol-co-polymer.

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- 20. (New) The adhesive of claim 19, wherein the ethylene vinyl alcohol-co-polymer has a degree of polymerization from 100 to 8000.
- 21. (New) The adhesive of claim 19, wherein the ethylene vinyl alcohol-co-polymer has a degree of hydrolysis from 88 to 100 Mol%.
- 22. (New) The adhesive of claim 19, wherein the ethylene vinyl alcohol-copolymer is present in an amount from 1 to 3 % by weight, relative to the dispersion.
- 23. (New) The adhesive of claim 15, wherein at least one of the vinyl alcohol polymer has a degree of polymerization from 1500 to 3000.
- 24. (New) The adhesive of claim 19, wherein at least one of the vinyl alcohol polymer has a degree of hydrolysis from 81 to 100 Mol%.
- 25. (New) The adhesive of claim 15, wherein at least one of the vinyl alcohol polymer is present in an amount from 0.6 to 2.5% by weight, relative to the dispersion.
- 26. (New) The adhesive of claim 15, wherein the vinyl alcohol polymer comprises a first partially saponified polymer with a polymerization degree from 1500 to 3000, a degree of hydrolysis from 88 to 92 Mol% and a

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viscosity from 15 to 30mPa. sec., each in watery solution, in an amount from 0.1 to 1.50 Mol% by weight, relative to the dispersion,

and

a further partially saponified polymer with a polymerization- and hydrolysis degree like the first partially saponified polymer and having a viscosity from 30 to 50 mPa. sec, each in a 4% watery solution, in an amount from 0.5 to 1.5 % by weight, relative to the dispersion.

27. (New) A building component comprising several layers, wherein the layers are glued together with the adhesive of claim 15.